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For: MONOLITHIC OPTICAL COMPENSATION DEVICE FOR IMPROVED VIEWING ANGLE IN

LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAYS

RE-DECLARATION OF INTERFERENBCE

This interference is herein re-declared to change the count to the following:

A compensator for a liquid crystal display comprising:

- (a) a first deposited thin-film compensator layer having a first surface;
- (b) a second thin-film compensator layer deposited onto said first surface of said first compensator layer, wherein each of said first and said second deposited thin-film compensator layers are selected from the group consisting of: (i) a positively birefringent A-plate compensator layer, and (ii) a negatively birefringent C-plate compensator layer.

Party Winker's claims corresponding to the count: Claims 1-7.

Party Abileah's claims corresponding to the count: Claims 96-102.

Benefit accorded party Winker:

Application 08/223,251, filed April 4, 1994, now Patent No. 5,504,603, issued April 2, 1996.

Benefit accorded party Abileah:

Application 08/595,068, filed February 1, 1996.
Application 08/451,962, filed May 26, 1995, now Patent No.
 5,818,615, issued October 6, 1998.
Application 08/160,731, filed December 2, 1993, now Patent
 No. 5,499,126, issued March 12, 1996.

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